

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

IN RE APPLICATION OF: WEN-YEU LEE ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 10/092,428

GROUP ART UNIT: 2874

FILED: March 8, 2002

EXAMINER: Ellen E. KIM

FOR: HAND-HELD OPTICAL FIBER CUTTING APPARATUS

ATTY. REFERENCE: LEEW3002/WKP

CONFIRMATION NO.: 8780

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	17	- 22 ¹	= ³	× \$ 9 =	× \$ 18 = \$0.00
Independent Claims	1	- 3 ²	= ³	× \$ 43 =	× \$ 86 = \$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$145 =	+ \$290 =
TOTAL					\$0.00

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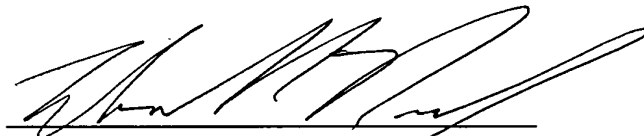
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- ☐ Also enclosed is/are:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

MAIL STOP NON FEE AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2003 in the above application. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow. All claim cancellations and/or amendments are made without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.